



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.: 97-022-F3
	Application No.: 09/718,770
	Filing Date: November 22, 2000
	First Named Inventor: R. Terry Dunlay
	Group Art Unit: 1631
	Examiner: Smith, Carolyn L.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to **September 7, 2006**.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Large Entity 2-month extension fee of **\$450.00** to our Deposit Account Number 13-2490. Also, please charge any fees which may be required to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name	David S. Harper, Ph.D.
Reg. No.	42,636
Signature	
Date	September 6, 2006

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